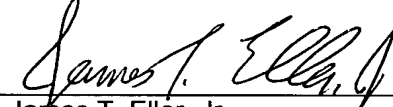




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Application No. 10/722,449-Conf. #8263		Filing Date November 28, 2003		Examiner S. E. Husband	
				Art Unit 1746	
Applicant: Myung Ho KANG					
Invention: DISHWASHER HAVING A LOCK WITH AN ELASTIC COUPLING					
MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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 James T. Eller, Jr. Attorney Reg. No.: 39,538				Dated: <u>May 2, 2007</u>	
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 2, 2007, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the Application based on these remarks is respectfully requested.

This reply includes:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.